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Applicant : Larry DePoorter, et al.

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For: "PATCH BAG HAVING SEAL THROUGH PATCH"

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time under 37 CFR, Section 1.136(a) within which to file the accompanying Appeal Brief under 37 CFR 41.37, i.e., further to the Notice of Appeal filed 28 September 2004, which is datestamped 30 September 2004 by the OIPE. Accordingly, the period for filing the Appeal Brief is extended through 30 January 2004, i.e., through Monday 31 January 2005 as 30 January 2005 falls on a Sunday.

The undersigned authorizes the Commissioner to charge the appropriate extension fee to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. Moreover, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. This document is filed in duplicate.

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